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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on the following
prior foreign applications filed in the following foreign countries on the dates indicated:

<u>Country</u>	<u>App. No.</u>	<u>Date</u>
Japan	11-002988	01/08/99
Japan	11-011374	01/20/99
Japan	11-015446	01/25/99
Japan	11-016836	01/26/99
Japan	11-017003	01/26/99
Japan	11-019557	01/28/99

Japan	11-030931	02/09/99
Japan	11-065466	03/11/99

In support of this claim, a certified copy of each said original foreign application is filed herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Application Number: Japanese Patent Application
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Applicant(s): RICOH COMPANY, LTD.

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